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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Noboru ISHIBASHI et al.

Group Art Unit: 3663

Application No.: 10/810,669

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For: IDENTIFICATION ASSIGNING METHOD AND APPARATUS

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the December 29, 2006 Office Action, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**